



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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May 23, 2002

Mr. Martin L. Goldstein, Treasurer  
Hudson Valley Political Action Committee  
Jewish Community Campus  
New City, NY 10956

Identification Number: C00158865

Reference: July Monthly Report (6/1/01-6/30/01), Amended August Monthly Report (7/1/01-7/31/01), dated 10/22/01 and Amended September Monthly Report (8/1/01-8/31/01), dated 10/22/01

Dear Mr. Goldstein:

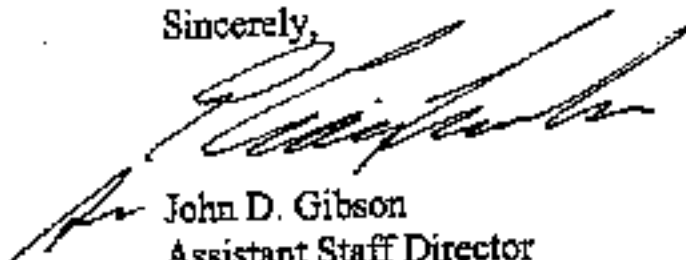
This letter is to inform you that as of May 22, 2002, the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated March 20, 2002. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

Due to recent events, the United States Postal Service is experiencing delays in the processing and delivery of mail for the Washington D.C. area. Consequently, the Federal Election Commission is not receipt of all incoming mail. The Commission recommends that you resubmit your response to this notice and consider using alternate delivery services such as overnight delivery or delivery by courier. If feasible, your response can also be hand-delivered. You can verify the Commission's receipt of any documents submitted by your committee on the FEC website at [www.FEC.gov](http://www.FEC.gov).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by June 12, 2002. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Nicholas Ebinger on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John D. Gibson", is written over the typed name.

John D. Gibson  
Assistant Staff Director  
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosure



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Dear Mr. Goldstein:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Please provide the totals for Lines 11(a)(i) and 21(b), Columns A and B of the Detailed Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Please provide a Schedule A to support the entry disclosed on Line 11(a)(i) of the Detailed Summary Page. All contributions from individuals/persons other than political committees aggregating in excess of \$200 per year must be itemized on Schedule A. 11 CFR §104.3(a)(2)

-Line 21(b) of the Detailed Summary Page discloses operating expenditures during the reporting period. Please amend your report to clarify whether this figure includes any disbursements to payees that aggregate greater than \$200 in the calendar year. If this is the case, itemize the expenditures on Schedule B. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)

-Your report includes computer produced formats of Schedules A and B. Computer produced formats may only be used upon prior approval of the

Commission. You should submit a separate sample format with a cover letter requesting approval. Until your format has been approved, FEC forms must be used. 11 CFR §104.2(d)

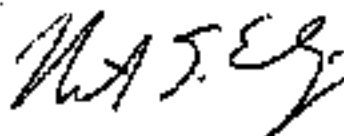
If the software your committee is using to produce the Schedules of the FEC FORM 3X does not allow you to electronically file your report, you may want to call the vendor who produced your software to inquire about the availability of a software upgrade that includes electronic filing. A number of commercial software companies have added electronic filing capability to their products. A list of these companies is available on the FEC web site, <http://www.fec.gov>.

Alternatively, freeware (FECfile) available from the FEC, can help you complete and file your reports electronically. It installs easily, computerizes every schedule in the FEC FORM 3X, contains features to help you avoid common errors, allows you to file electronically, and has free technical support for your questions. You may obtain your free copy by downloading FECfile from our web site, <http://www.fec.gov>, or by calling the Electronic Filing Office at (202) 694-1307.

-Your report was filed on an obsolete FEC FORM 3X. Please be advised that all political committees are now required to use the FEC FORM 3X (revised 1/01). Please use the revised form when filing future reports. The new form can be downloaded from the FEC web site at <http://www.fec.gov>, or requested through the FEC Faxline at (202) 501-3413. Please re-submit your report using the new FEC Form 3X. (11 CFR §104.2)

A response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Nicholas T. Ebinger  
Reports Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

